

## BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, February 15, 1918.



## WHAT THEY CALL IT.

Grandman says we're right in style, A-gettin' in our auto-mobila. Grandpa says we're fit to kill. A-ridin' in our auto-mobila. Ma, she says we ought to feel, Grateful for our auto-mobila. Pa says there ain't no other man Kin run an auto like he can. Auntie preaches near and fear. 'Bout our lovely touring car. Uncle Bill says he ain't seen, Nowhere such a good machine. Brother Jim he keeps a-braggin' 'Bout the speed of our new wagon. But, oh, it sounds so grand and noble. When sister Sue says automobile. —Puck.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Jones, a son—Louis.

W. S. S. Attorney J. W. Woods of Ashland, attended court here Wednesday.

W. S. S. Burgess Thompson of Pikeville, is here visiting Dr. T. D. Burgess and family.

W. S. S. Mr. R. T. Burns was able to be out Wednesday and was a visitor at circuit court.

W. S. S. R. C. Moore of this place, has enlisted in the army and will serve as a veterinary surgeon.

W. S. S. Read the prices quoted in Jake's bid. In this week's NEWS. The sale starts Friday of this week.

W. S. S. Ed Allen and family have moved from Torchlight to Louisa and are occupying the Haywood property on Luck avenue.

W. S. S. Rev. J. H. Stambaugh was here from Charleston the first of the week. He preached at the Christian church Monday night.

W. S. S. Ed Daly, of Carter co., who was serving a two-years penitentiary sentence for housebreaking, was pardoned Monday by Governor Stanley.

W. S. S. Mr. W. J. Lawyer, of Ohio, is improving after an illness of several weeks at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. V. Cole.

W. S. S. Miss Celeste See has returned from Glen Springs, Lewis co., where she was teaching, the buildings of the school having been destroyed by fire last week.

W. S. S. Mrs. Jennie Carter has returned from Chattahoochee, Va., where she went to see her son, Willie, who has been sick. She found him much improved.

W. S. S. Dr. and Mrs. John W. Swetnam of Elliottville, Rowan co., have been visiting relatives at Georgetown. They moved from this county to Rowan a few years ago.

W. S. S. Louisa friends of Northup Wood will be interested in hearing that he has enlisted in the army and is a member of Headquarters Company, 134th Field Artillery, Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Alabama.

W. S. S. The weather has been mild and bright since last Sunday. The buds on the trees are swelling and the chances are very good for damage to fruit, as it is too early to expect continued mild weather.

W. S. S. Lanus Hewlett, in the signal corps of the army, recently passed an examination in telegraphy and two other branches of his work with a grade of 93, which was attained by only one other man at the camp.

Mrs. G. R. Vinson was hostess to the L. F. Club on Thursday afternoon.

J. C. Johns was in Louisa yesterday for the first time since his severe illness.

J. W. Webb of Torchlight, was in Louisa Thursday and paid the NEWS office a call.

Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace, Sr., has been confined to her home by illness for more than a week.

W. S. S. The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church met with Mrs. W. H. Adams Wednesday afternoon.

S. D. Salyer, formerly of this place, but who has been at Pittsburg a number of years, has enlisted in the army engineer department.

The Junior Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South will meet on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace, Jr.

JATTIE. There will be preaching at this place next Sunday by Bro. Conley.

D. J. Thompson was a business caller at Milt Watson's last week.

We are very sorry to hear of the death of Aud Stewart which occurred a few days ago.

Lewis Thompson has moved into the house vacated by Mande Young.

R. L. Thompson will drive Milt Watson's Ford this coming summer.

Sheridan Thompson called on his best girl at Ashland last week.

Frank Thompson called on his sister, Mrs. W. M. Hammond Sunday.

Sheridan Thompson was a business caller at Jattie Saturday evening.

L. O. Perry left Sunday for Louisa where he was summoned on the petit jury.

B. L. Biggs was calling on Maxine Thompson Sunday.

D. J. Thompson and J. M. Watson will make a business trip to Riverton soon.

T. N. Whitley is calling on his sister, Mrs. W. M. Brainerd this week.

Miss Nona Hall has been on the sick list for a few days.

Arthur Coffee of this place has moved to Ashland where he has employment.

Haskel Thompson says if it wasn't for another fellow he could call at W. T. S's.

Willard Lyons and Boston Hammonds called at J. L. Prichard's a few days ago.

The fox hunters are raging high in our vicinity.

Rev. Bolling will preach at this place the fourth Sunday. Everybody come.

Misses Martha, Ruth and Eunice Thompson were calling on Nana Hall Sunday.

BUCKSKIN BESS.

MATTIE. O. B. Swetnam passed down our creek one day last week with a drove of cattle.

J. D. Ball made a business trip to Louisa Monday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Childers, is on the sick list.

Mahala Moore is spending a few weeks with relatives at Auxier.

Gus Hickman was on our creek Sunday.

Jattie Hays is spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Moore of Le. docio.

Stella Moore was visiting Bessie Moore Sunday.

Carrie Travis of Wilbur, is visiting relatives at this place.

Corda and Minnie Moore spent Friday night with Mrs. Jay Moore.

Mrs. C. B. Moore spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. D. M. Justice.

Willie Moore of Cordell, is expected on our creek soon.

There will be church at the Cando church house the third Sunday in this month. Everybody come.

MRS. GRUNDY.

Will Be Witness.

Sheriff Sam J. DeBord has gone to Prestonsburg to appear as a witness in the trial of Coyer on a charge of murdering Miss Lula Viers, a cousin of Mr. DeBord.

## PERSONAL MENTION

James A. Richmond was in from Ellen Thursday.

Mrs. J. G. Hinkle was at Walbridge Wednesday.

Mrs. Emory E. Wheeler was in from Ose Monday.

Mrs. Alex Stump was down from Walbridge Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Burgess were in Cincinnati this week.

F. H. Yates has returned from New York and Philadelphia.

Mr. John N. Peters, of Salspeter, was in Louisa Thursday.

Webb, of Overda, was in the NEWS office yesterday.

Mr. Geo. T. Burgess was down from Georges creek last Friday.

Miss Gladys Land visited relatives in Ceredo, W. Va. this week.

A. M. Hughes went to Huntington Wednesday to see his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Picklesimer were guests this week of Ohio relatives.

Mrs. Sammie Ferrell Clarke was down from Walbridge Wednesday.

G. R. Burgess and J. L. Richmond returned Sunday from Cincinnati.

Misses Marie and Doshia Roberts of Cadmus, were visitors in Louisa Tuesday.

Judge Hille Riffe was a business visitor at Lucasville, O., the first of the week.

Mr. Geo. Lear of Cincinnati, was a guest the first of the week of E. E. Shannon.

Squire L. D. Webb of Glenwood, was a welcome caller at the NEWS office Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Justice will go to Cincinnati Monday to complete her line of spring millinery.

Dr. H. Huff was here Tuesday en route from near Ft. Gay, W. Va., to Auxier on business.

Mrs. Orville Smith of Columbus, O., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ward.

W. F. Hensley of Thacker, W. Va., who was visiting in Louisa, called at the NEWS office Monday.

Roy Hensley and son, C. E., Jr., of Apple Grove, Ohio, were visiting his father, C. E. Hensley, this week.

Jesse R. Roberts returned to Sciotoville, O., last week after a short visit to his mother, Mrs. T. H. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Shannon had as their guest the first of the week, Mrs. Ella Layne Brown of Huntington, W. Va.

Wayne W. Cordell, special pension examiner, was in Louisa over Sunday. He now has headquarters at Norfolk, Virginia.

Wendall Lilly, who had been visiting Homer Yates at Jenkins, stopped over in Louisa for a short visit on his way to his home in Columbus, Ohio.

J. R. Johnson, who is interested in the Baxter Coal Co., of Harlan, Ky., was here last Friday the guest of his mother, Mrs. Zara Johnson.

Jas. A. Wilson of Granite Canon, Wyoming, is here for a month's visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wilson. He has been in the west eleven years.

Mrs. C. L. Crawford, who had been at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClure, several weeks, left last Thursday for Ashland to spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson of Jenkins, were guests Sunday of Louisa relatives. Mrs. Johnson went on to Cincinnati to spend a few days and Mr. Johnson to Catlettsburg to attend U. S. Court.

LETTER FROM Wm. MEYERS TO MRS. J. W. YATES

Camp Shelby, February 1, 1918.

My Dear Grandma:—I received your letter some time ago, but I sure have been busy and have not had much time. I am still studying the Lewis automatic rifle, and we will go to the rifle range soon, so I may not get to write for a while for I am studying pretty hard for the examination for I sure would hate to fall down on it and I am leading our class so far. I can take the gun apart and put it back in working order in 3 minutes and 50 seconds and can beat that after some more practice. We are not drilling to-day, a holiday for the big insurance drive they are making. I took a ten thousand dollar policy (\$10,000) five thousand made to you and \$5,000 made to aunt Lizzie, and then if I should die or get killed in action the government would pay you \$25.00 per month in addition to the policy. Just so I get killed anyway, whether in a battle or if a train should kill me it makes no difference. So you see I am worth much more dead than alive and I sure think we will get our chances at the Germans soon, for we are getting new guns and equipment for foreign service.

Wm. MEYERS, Co. G, 149th Inf.

Among those who have enlisted at Ashland in the regular army this week are: Gwinn Chapman, Louisa, cavalry; Stephen D. Workman, Estep, infantry; Robt. Killem, Wise, Va., infantry; Wm. M. Wireman, Mid, medical corps; Anderson Redford, Woodman, Ky., medical corps; Simon Chandler, Clydeside.

The Williamson, W. Va., Republican says:—Miss Dollie Peters of Louisa, Ky., has accepted a position with the C. & P. Telephone company here as chief operator. Miss Peters is said to be an efficiency expert and a marked improvement in the service is looked for under his directions.

Cancer can be cured if treated in time. Then act wise and have me treat you before it is too late because I positively can cure you. H. HUFF, R. 1, Box 87, Fort Gay, W. Va.

Blaine, Ky., February 3, 1918.

Editor Big Sandy News:—I wish to renew my subscription to Big Sandy News. My time was out last December 4, 1917. Will send check for five dollars, that will pay to December 4, 1922.

I have been taking the paper several years and it is always a welcome visitor. Success to you and your paper.

MRS. M. F. CARTER.

Try Teco pancake flour at A. L. Burton's. Fine for wheatless days, as it is a combination of various flours. Nothing but cold water to be added to make the finest brown cakes you ever ate.

# BEAUTIFUL SPRING GOODS NOW COMING IN.

## Ladies, Here are 2 Reasons

Why you should buy materials now for your Spring sewing:  
So as to do the work before the spring rush comes.  
Because prices are going higher all the time.

## W. H. ADAMS

Louisa, Pierce's Old Stand Kentucky.

## BLAINE

A. W. Osborn and Grace Swetnam have just closed a successful term of school at this place. The winter term will continue under the management of A. W. Osborn and began Monday, the 11th. The prospects are bright for a successful term during the remaining winter and spring.

Cody Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Green, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Osborn recently.

M. T. Nickle is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. H. C. Osborn was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williams last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Evans and son were the guests of J. L. Evans and family one day last week.

Miss Gladys Gambill was visiting relatives and friends in Morgan county the first of the week.

Ed Swetnam, who has been confined to his home by illness since last fall, is improving slowly.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gambill started last Sunday to Aberdeen, South Dakota, to see Mrs. Gambill's sister, Mrs. Mandy Wellman, who is very ill.

The Union Gas & Oil company, who is drilling on Blaine creek brought in a good gas well on the farm of Dr. J. J. Gambill about two weeks ago and is now drilling on the farm of Dan Skaggs, using the gas from the Gambill well for fuel. The Skaggs well will be well No. 2 for this company. All good gas wells, 25 pound pressure.

Dr. N. T. Rice was transacting business here last week. BIG CHIEF.

## JATTIE.

Several from this place attended the burial of Bentley Hutchison at Ollioville Thursday.

Miss Nona Hall is recovering from a severe case of tonsillitis.

Mrs. A. M. Watson was visiting at Webbville Wednesday.

Misses Goldia Wilson and Stella Dalton spent a few days with Mrs. Cebra Wilson of Ratcliff last week and attended the funeral of Aud Stewart.

Arnaleah Shivel spent Saturday night and Sunday with Jane and Gracie Thompson.

Lewis Thompson has moved into the house vacated by Mander Young.

Mrs. B. D. Johnson was calling on Mrs. Morton Hammond recently.

Stella Dalton was visiting Goldia Wilson last week.

Mrs. B. B. Wells was visiting relatives on Caney Tuesday.

John Lang and son, Omar, passed here Sunday enroute to Louisa.

Mrs. J. F. Thompson was visiting her mother at Ollioville one day last week.

Everett Kiger filled his appointment at this place Sunday.

Sam McKinney was a business caller here Sunday.

Misses Martha, Ruth and Eunice Thompson were the guests of Nona Hall Sunday.

C. O. Perry is in Louisa attending court this week.

Mrs. Cebra Wilson was shopping at this place one day last week.

Lowell Thompson says when this war is over he expects to hear the wedding bells ringing for him in our town.

Opal Chaffin was visiting her sister, Mrs. Maude Quisenberry one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bentley were visiting relatives at Dennis Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Thompson and Mrs. B. B. Wells were the Sunday evening guests of Mrs. Lewis Thompson.

Mrs. Jane Hicks is very sick at this writing.

Ida Chaffin was visiting her sister, Mrs. Mae Stewart of Ratcliff last week.

J. K. Woods was transacting business here last week.

Mrs. Harve Hicks was calling on relatives on Caney recently.

Martha and Ruth Thompson were visiting their aunt, Mrs. B. B. Wells, Monday.

There will be church at this place Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Conley. Everybody come and bring some one with you. CINDERELLA.

## GO TO THE RESCUE

DON'T WAIT 'TILL IT'S TOO LATE  
—FOLLOW THE EXAMPLE OF  
A LOUISA CITIZEN.

Rescue the aching back. If it keeps on aching, trouble may come.

Often it indicates kidney weakness. If you neglect the kidneys' warning. Look out for urinary disorders.

This Louisa citizen will show you how to go to the rescue.

Mrs. J. B. Riffe, Lock Ave., says: "My back ached constantly. I was dizzy, my sight blurred and my kidneys were irregular in action, too. It didn't take Doan's Kidney Pills long to relieve me and help me in every way, making my kidneys strong."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Riffe had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

## GLENWOOD.

There is something for everybody to do, and everything we do means something to somebody. If we go right we lead others right. Then let us examine ourselves and if we are not right let's get right. And don't forget that this country will be peopled with the children that we are raising and while there are exceptions to all rules, yet the future conditions of the country will depend largely on the way we bring our children up. If we expect this to be a great country, we must continue to fight—fight to insure our country's freedom, fight to educate the children that are in our care. The state ought to encourage that by furnishing free school books. It could do that at a small cost by using prison labor to publish the books. Are we doing our best to make the country better by our being in it, morally or religiously, are we using the talent that has been given us? How many mothers throughout the country when sending their sons or friends presents, that have been called to protect the flag of our country, include in that package a pocket Testament with an earnest request for them to read it? How many people realize that freedom of our country all depends on us winning the war. Nobody wants Germany to take our country as war spoils or dictate the terms of peace to us. Then let's go at it with our whole heart, mind and strength to furnish everything that it is possible for us to furnish and not forget to put our trust in God for his power is unlimited and as He willeth so will it be.

V. B. SHORTHIDGE.

DENNIS AND GLADYS.

The sick of our community are slowly improving.

School closed here Thursday with James to Greene, teacher. There was a large attendance.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Bentley Hutchison of Dennis.

Farmers are busy gathering corn. Dewey Kitchen has left for parts unknown.

Mrs. Maud Compton was visiting home folks Sunday.

Nona Cooksey was visiting home folks Sunday.

Dennis Pennington, Dennis Kitchen and James Green were on Morgans creek Sunday last.

Roads are in very bad condition since the ice and snow have melted.

Alma Kitchen and Birtie Carter, who are at Mrs. Elva Bolts are expected home soon.

Lizzie Kitchen is very low at this writing.

Several from this place attended church at Merry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Preston and children spent Sunday last with Amanda Preston.

Lieut. J. W. Dixon of Camp Taylor, came home for a few hours furlough, returning to Louisville, to leave immediately for Dallas, Texas.

James Preston made his regular trip to E. L. Moore's last Sunday.

Bascom Boyd was calling on Miss Ella Spencer Sunday last.

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Charley Allen and Jeff Chandler of Lowmansville, were calling on Misses Nola and Ethel Hays Sunday last.

There will be church at this place the third Sunday in this month.

Everybody come and try to bring some one with you. RED ROSE.

HEWLETT, W. VA.

The farmers in this vicinity have been getting their farming tools in readiness for farming. They say they expect to raise a larger crop this year than last.

School is progressing nicely at this place.

Miss Eliza Wellman, our efficient teacher, has been calling on the patrons of this district this week.

Andrewville and Gus Hanley and Willie Lester attended church at Little Hurricane Sunday evening. They report a good time, but the mud—it was fierce.

Miss Lizzie Akers is attending the K. N. C. at Louisa.

Mrs. Olga Chapman and son, Abe of Louisa spent Thursday with relatives at this place.

Miss Florence Loar was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Sturgill Tuesday.

Misses Bertha Hensley, Lizzie and Eliza Akers were at Catalpa, Ky., Sunday.

Henry Akers' best girl called on him Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ida Lester visited Gladys McComas Sunday.

Eliza Davis of Hubbardsdown, passed through here Tuesday.

There was a wedding in our town last week, the contracting parties being George Potter and Miss Quillen of Greenup county. This was a great surprise to all the girls, for they said they didn't know that George wished to marry.

L. E. Cooksey was a business caller in Louisa Tuesday. BLACK EYES.

CHARLEY.

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